



Chickasha Area Arts Council

'Gwen Brooks Memorial Arts Scholarship'

- Application Form for 2020 -

This scholarship has a value of up to \$1,000 and is available to high school seniors enrolled in public, private or home schools in the Chickasha area.

Eligible applicants are presently participating in OR have participated in *'Fine Arts'* programs (Visual Arts and/or Performance Arts) in their schools AND/OR in the community.

Applicants will attend a College or University of their choice and Major in the *'Fine Arts'* (Visual Arts and/or Performance Arts).

***** APPLICATION DUE DATE: Must be received by FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2020.**

Mail completed Application with Transcript and two (2) Reference Letters to:

CAAC Scholarship, PO Box 505, Chickasha, OK 73023

Full Name (Print): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

Email Address: _____

Area High School & # of years attending that school: _____

High School Cumulative GPA (unweighted on a 4.0 Scale): _____

Composite ACT Score: _____

***** Official Transcript:** ALL submitted applications must include the student's most recent high school transcript.

***** Two (2) Recommendations are required with the Application:** (1) one from a person in the Arts (Visual or Performance), and (2) one is personal (OTHER than family). Please have each person prepare a letter for the applicant (including their phone number and email, if available), seal them in an envelope and include with this application.

Involvement in the Arts while in School: Indicate which of these you have been active in and/or are active in now and how many months/years.

_____ Dance – What Studio/Personal Instructor? _____

_____ Music (Instrumental) – What Instrument(s)? _____

_____ Music (Vocal) – Soloist and/or Ensemble _____

_____ Theatre – Actor, Scenery, etc. – specify _____

_____ Visual Arts – Drawing, Painting, Pottery/Sculpture, etc. – specify _____

Involvement in Arts Programs while in School (Dance, Music, Theatre, Visual Arts): List involvement in all arts programs and organizations in school, leadership positions held and number of years active.

Involvement in the Community: List involvement in the community, including any arts programs and indicate number of months/years active.

High School Activities: List involvement in other high school activities, clubs, sports, etc. Indicate offices and positions of leadership. State name of organization, position held and year(s) of involvement.

Honors/Awards: List honors and awards received in high school.

Employment: List the title, description of any current or recent employment and years.

Describe your future plans immediately following High School graduation.

Describe your probable career or professional plans after college.

Describe how and why 'The Arts' are important to you.

Any other comments or info you would like for the committee to know. If additional space is needed, please use a separate page.

Student's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Student's Printed Name: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent's Mailing Address: _____

Parent's Phone Number(s): _____

Parent's Email Address(es): _____

QUESTIONS: Contact - Mary Frances (316) 734-5488, Susan (405) 314-3307, CAAC Office (405) 905-2350 OR email chickashaarts@gmail.com.

***** PLEASE BE ADVISED: Up to three (3) of these scholarships may be granted, but the Chickasha Area Arts Council reserves the right to withhold all scholarships if qualified candidates are not received OR incomplete applications are submitted.**

***** IMPORTANT: Scholarship monies are to be forwarded and applied directly to the tuition and educational expenses at the college or university the student attends. Recipients of Scholarship monies are to notify the Chickasha Area Arts Council with the Name and Mailing Address of the Bursar Office of the college or university they will be attending so payment can be made in the recipient's name.**